PHMC COVID-19 BUSINESS SUPPORT

Do you need help navigating through all the changes so you can make it through to the other side with your business intact?

PHMC has general business support resources and expert consultation for you, whether you need an answer to one question, or you need longer, on-going support. These supports are available AT NO COST to ALL PROVIDERS:

- Family, group, and center based
- Single site, multi-site, and multi-service
- Nonprofit and for-profit
- Any STAR level

**Fund for Sustaining Quality (FSQ) Website** [http://sustainingquality.org/ask-a-question](http://sustainingquality.org/ask-a-question)

Anyone can visit any time to review the COVID-19 Business Support repository of resources from PHMC and partners to support early education operators, including upcoming new webinars, recorded webinars, links partner and other community resources including grant and loan applications, and new tools as they are created.

**“Ask a Question”**

Do you need a discreet answer to a specific question? This feature is set up on the FSQ website to get answers to questions about business operations, stability, or sustainability. Questions and answers will be made anonymous and used to develop a Frequently Asked Questions which will be posted on the site for access at any time. CLICK HERE to ask a question! You can also access this on the FSQ website.

**Interactive Business Support Webinars**

Register for upcoming webinars or watch previously recorded sessions posted to the FSQ website. Content includes how-to-guides on applying for grants and loans, reviews and clarification of financial terminology, explanation of documents needed for available local, state, and federal grant and loan resources. New webinars will be develop based on your incoming questions and TA requests.

**Individual Business Support TA for Providers Operating in Philadelphia**

Expert consultation is available for one-on-one sessions to help you navigate through the COVID-19 pandemic to stabilize ECE businesses, so you are poised to re-open when that time comes. CLICK HERE to apply. A link is also available on the FSQ website.

Do you need help making a timely decision on how to:

- Apply for available loans/grants
- Save money while closed
- Track losses
- Plan for staffing: retain or layoff, personnel legal matters

OR

Do you need on-going help to plan through reopening and recovery:

- Personnel retention strategies and family retention strategies,
- Budget projections and program financing
- Health and safety protocols

For more information, email ECEProviderSupport@phmc.org.

These support services are available through the Fund for Sustaining Quality, the Early Childhood Education Fiscal Hub, and the Fund for Quality with generous funding from the William Penn Foundation and Vanguard Strong Start for Kids.